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In re Application of:

Nguyen, et al.

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## **TRANSMITTAL**

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents Alexandria, VA 22313

Sir:

## Transmitted herewith are the following:

- 1. Fee Transmittal (1 pg) in duplicate
- 2. Supplemental Amendment (8 pgs)
- 3. Replacement Drawings (7 pgs)
- 4. Return Postcard
- [X] Authorization to charge the \$88.00 fee for the additional claims to Deposit Account No. 50-1947 is provided on the Fee Transmittal. A duplicate copy of that document is enclosed for that purpose.
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Respectfully submitted,

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